

Meet Your Free Methodist Missionaries

Hany & Joanne

Middle East / Impact Middle East



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Pray for:

- protection for Hany and Joanne in a region where spiritual warfare is fierce
- a spirit of wisdom and discernment for choosing and developing new local leaders and church planters
- open doors and people of peace in different refugee camps and cities: people who will welcome and champion a movement of planting house churches in the region
- unity in the body of Christ
- emotional health and strength in dealing daily with the trauma so many refugees have experienced
- the Noor Center
- the midwives being trained, and mothers and babies being cared for through the Whole Woman Initiative

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